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In response to the Applicant's letter mailed on 10/8/08, the 1449 filed on 8/29/08 has been initialed by the Examiner and a copy of that was mailed to the Applicant on 9/9/08. Please note the Examiner's initials at the bottom of the 1449. This was confirmed in a telephone conversation with Bradley Thorson (Reg. No. 52,288) held on 11/18/08.

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